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In re Application of:

Inventor: Ming-Jen HUANG  
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For: WAX DECORATION ITEMS AND METHOD MAKING THE SAME

Examiner: Koppikar, Vivek D.  
Art Unit: 1775  
Docket: HUAN3102/EM

RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is being submitted in response to the February 26, 2003 Office Action issued by the Examiner in the above identified application.

The Examiner has indicated that the claims originally filed in this application, claims 1-24, are drawn to two distinct inventions, i.e., claims 1-13 (method of making a wax decoration) and claims 14-24 (wax decoration item).

The Examiner has required applicant to elect one of these inventions for examination in the instant application. In response to this requirement, applicant hereby elects claims 14-24 (wax decoration item).

Applicant reserves the right to submit the subject matter of non-elected claims 1-13 for separate examination in a divisional application which may be filed at any time during the pendency of the instant application.

If the Examiner should have any questions concerning this matter, the undersigned may be reached at his Alexandria, Virginia office at (703) 683-0500.

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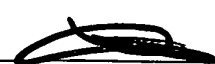
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